Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 15 Dec 2024 until 23:59 on Monday 16 Dec 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 14 Dec 2024 at 16:13

Confidence: High for mild and unsettled weather during the period. Lower for day to day rain and cloud details.

Headline for Sunday 15 Dec 2024: Low cloud and patchy rain. Becoming windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 15 Dec 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG
Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability							
60%	60%	60%	40%	40%	40%	40%	40%

Forecast for Sunday 15 Dec 2024

Weather: Low cloud with occasional light rain or drizzle, but perhaps becoming dry for a time in the afternoon across the east of the Park. Becoming windy on the tops through the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Almost zero chance.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud and fog down to low slopes giving difficult conditions for navigation. Cloud lifting to about 500m in the afternoon, perhaps higher across the east of the Park. Away from cloud, hazy, occasionally a few kilometres in rain or drizzle.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/24 W	20/28 W	21/28 W	18/24 W	20/26 W	22/30 W	24/33 W	24/33 W	24/34 W
300	10/21 W	11/23 W	11/22 W	10/21 W	12/24 W	13/27 W	15/30 W	15/31 W	16/33 W
Valley	9/20 W	10/22 W	11/23 W	10/21 W	11/23 W	12/26 W	14/29 W	14/30 W	14/30 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/1	7/2	7/2	7/3	8/4	8/3	7/2	7/2	6/1
300	7/4	8/5	8/6	9/6	9/7	10/7	9/6	9/6	8/5
Valley	8/5	8/6	9/6	9/7	10/8	10/8	10/7	10/7	9/6
Freezing Level*	2100m	2400m	2500m	2200m	2300m	2400m	2300m	2200m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A milder day but still feeling rather cold on the tops in the brisk winds and damp conditions. Winds strengthening through the afternoon with gusts of 35 to 45mph making walking arduous on the tops.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Sat 14 Dec 2024	0.4mm	0.8mm	0.8mm

Forecast for Monday 16 Dec 2024

Weather: Mostly cloudy with patchy rain overnight then becoming dry during the morning with some bright or sunny spells. Strong and gusty winds easing.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 30 to 35mph with gusts 45mph, gradually easing in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10% becoming 70%.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud and fog above 400m overnight becoming patchy and mostly clearing during the morning. Away from cloud, mainly good visibility with brief reductions in early rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 or 11C.
At 600m: Plus 6 or 7C.
Freezing level: Well above summits.

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